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FOR : RECEPTOR RECOGNITION FACTORS, AND METHODS OF USE
THEREOF (AMENDED)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 13, 2001, now due for response on December 13, 2001 with a two month extension of time, and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please consider the following amendments and remarks. The Applicants also submit concurrently herewith a Petition for Extension of Time for two months along with the required fee.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph that bridges Page 8 to Page 9 with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- The present invention also relates to a recombinant DNA molecule or cloned gene, or a

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